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COUNTRY East Germany

REPORT

TOPIC Military Information from Leipzig

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REFERENCES

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REMARKS

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1. On 23 April 1953, the Heiterblick barracks installation in Leipzig was occupied by about 150 soldiers. No training activity was observed in the billeting area. Driven training with 2 T-34/85 tanks and 1 JS tank was held at the training field southeast of the installation.

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2. On 23 April, the Flak Kaserne in Leipzig-Schoenau was occupied by about 150 soldiers and guarded by sentries wearing red-bordered black epaulets. A troop train carrying 30 trucks was at the Rueckmarsdorf railroad station. Local residents said that about 12 tanks of various types were loaded at the Rueckmarsdorf railroad station during the night of 22 April.

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3. On 23 April, the Hindenburg Kaserne was occupied by 80 to 100 soldiers and guarded by sentries wearing black-bordered blue epaulets. Motor vehicle seen at the installation.

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4. On 23 April, the Treitschke Kaserne was occupied by about 500 soldiers and guarded by sentries wearing red-bordered black epaulets. individual soldiers in the billeting area and heard the strains of a band. Motor vehicles were seen driving to, and from, the barracks installation.

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5. On 23 April, the former military hospital was occupied by about 300 soldiers and guarded by sentries wearing red-bordered black epaulets. Motor vehicles were seen driving to, and from, the installation.

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6. On 22 April, the ration supply office was occupied by 25 to 30 soldiers.

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1. Comment. The report confirms a previous information

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Gds Mecz Div has been in Koenigsbrueck since late April. No reports have been received indicating that the 94th RL Regt (US) of the XXIX Gds Mtz Rifle Corps left its quarters in the Flak Kaserne in Schoenau.

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